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Banks.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL, \$5,000,000 Dollars. RESERVE FUND, \$2,100,000 Dollars.

COURT OF DIRECTORS.

Chairman: H. L. DAIRYFIELD, Esq. Deputy Chairman: W. M. REINER, Esq. H. HODGKIN, Esq. M. E. SASOON, Esq. Hon. F. B. JOHNSON, Esq. C. VINCENT SMITH, Esq. A. P. MCLEWIS, Esq. W. S. YOUNG, Esq. F. D. SASOON, Esq.

CHIEF MANAGER, HONGKONG, THOMAS JACKSON, Esq. MANAGER, Shanghai, EWEN CAMERON, Esq. LONDON BANKERS: London and County Bank.

HONGKONG. INTEREST ALLOWED.

ON Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.

For Fixed Deposits:—
For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum.
" 6 " 4 per cent. "
" 12 " 5 per cent. "

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.

Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Drafts, granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.

T. JACKSON, Chief Manager, Offices of the Corporation, No. 1, Queen's Road East. Hongkong, March 22, 1882.

COMPTOIR D'ESCOMPTE DE PARIS. (Incorporated 7th & 18th March, 1848.)

RECOGNISED by the INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION of 30th APRIL, 1862.

CAPITAL FULLY PAID-UP, £3,200,000. RESERVE FUND, £300,000.

HEAD OFFICE—14, RUE BIEZIERE, PARIS.

AGENCIES and BRANCHES at: LONDON, BOURTON, SAN FRANCISCO, MAREES, BOMBAY, HONGKONG, LYONS, CALCUTTA, HANKOW, KANTO, SHANGHAI, FOOCHOW, MELBOURNE, and SYDNEY.

LONDON BANKERS: THE BANK OF ENGLAND. THE UNION BANK OF LONDON. MEESER C. J. HAMBRO & SON.

The Hongkong Agency receives Fixed Deposits on Terms to be ascertained on application, grants Drafts and Credits on all parts of the World, and transacts every description of Banking Exchange Business.

F. COCHINARD, Agent, Hongkong. Hongkong, February 8, 1882.

ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION. (Incorporated by Royal Charter).

PAID-UP CAPITAL, £1,500,000.

RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS.

At 3 months' notice 3 1/2 per cent. Annually.

" 6 " 4 1/2 "

" 12 " 5 "

Current Accounts kept on Terms which may be learnt on application.

GEO. O. SCOTT, Manager.

Oriental Bank Corporation, Hongkong, September 4, 1879.

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

(FIRE AND LIFE.)

CAPITAL, TWO MILLION STERLING.

The Undersigned are prepared to grant Policies against the Risk of FIRE on Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on Goods on board Vessels and on Hulls of Vessels in Harbour, at the usual Terms and Conditions.

Proposals for Life Assurances will be received, and transmitted to the Directors for their decision.

If required, protection will be granted on first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single Life.

For Rates of Premiums, forms of proposals or any other information, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Agents, Hongkong & Canton.

Hongkong, January 4, 1867.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned has Admitted Mr. M. L. SALAMON into PARTNERSHIP from this date, and the BUSINESS in future will be Conducted under the Style of "HOLMES & SALAMON".

(Signed) GEORGE HOLMES.

Queen's Road Central, 1st May, 1882.

NOTICE.

THE INTEREST and RESPONSIBILITY of the Undersigned in the Firm of Messrs. D. OLLA & Co., of Amoy, Foochow, Takao and Tsinwan, has CEASED from the 30th of April, 1882.

E. N. MEHTA.
B. S. MEHTA.

WE Have THE DAY commanded BUNNELL & CO., MERCHANTS and COMMISSION AGENTS at Amoy, Foochow and Tsinwan, under the Style and Firm of "MEHTA & CO".

E. N. MEHTA.
B. S. MEHTA.

Hongkong, May 1, 1882.

NOTICE.

THE INTEREST and RESPONSIBILITY of Mr. CHARLES KAHN in his Firm CEASED on the 30th April, 1882.

REISS & Co.

Hongkong, 1st May, 1882.

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned have been appointed SOLE AGENTS for the Sale of their GOODS by Messrs. KYNOCH & Co., of Wixton, near BIRMINGHAM.

MEYER & Co.

Hongkong, August 13, 1881.

RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong and China, 20th April, 1882.

NOTICE.

WE Have appointed AGENTS for the MITSU BUSSAN KAISHA, of Tokio, at THIS PORT.

GEORGE R. STEVENS & Co.

Hongkong, February 1, 1882.

NOTICE.

THE INTEREST and RESPONSIBILITY of Mr. NESSIM ISAAC SILAS in our Firm in China and Hongkong CEASED on the 31st December, 1881.

RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong and China, 20th April, 1882.

NOTICE.

THE INTEREST and RESPONSIBILITY of Mr. NESSIM ISAAC SILAS in our Firm in China and Hongkong CEASED on the 31st December, 1881.

E. D. SASOON & Co.

Hongkong, April 24, 1882.

NOTICE.

OUR BRANCH ESTABLISHMENT here is DISCONTINUED from this date.

Mr. ROBERT LYALL authorized to act as our AGENT to receive and pay all sums due to and by us here.

GEO. SMITH & Co.

Hongkong, April 29, 1882.

For Sale.

WILLIAM DOLAN, SAIL-MAKER & SHIP-CHANDLER, 22, Praya Central.

COTTON DUCKS, HEMP CANVAS, MANILA ROPE, AMERICAN OAKUM, LIFE BUOYS, CORK JACKETS, &c., &c., &c.

Hongkong, May 1, 1882.

FOR SALE.

195 Fathoms SECOND-HAND TWO-INCH CABLE, suitable for Moorings in Lots to suit.

Apply to WILLIAM DOLAN,

22, Praya Central.

Hongkong, May 1, 1882.

FOR SALE.

J. U. L. S. M. U. M. & Co.'s CHAMPAGNE.

Quarts... \$17 per 1 doz. Cases.

Pints... \$18 per 2 doz. "

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

Hongkong, November 1, 1881.

FOR SALE.

A. RAUTER & MAINZ DELICIOUS TABLE BEER.

4 doz. P. Case CHAMPAGNE BOTTLES, \$10. " Case.

Apply to SANDER & Co.

Hongkong, March 30, 1882.

FOR SALE.

MESSRS. W. & J. LOCKETT'S Cider BRANDS, THIRFAL'S EX-PORT PALE ALE, and FINDLAF'S ***

FINE OLD PORT, in Cases of 1 dozen.

Also,

SILLERY MOUSSEAU (VIN DE CHAMPAIGNE), in Cases 2 dozen Pints and 1 dozen Quarts.

GEO. R. STEVENS & Co.

Hongkong, February 1, 1882.

WASHING BOOKS.

(In English and Chinese.)

For Rates of Premiums, forms of proposals or any other information, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Agents, Hongkong & Canton.

Hongkong, January 4, 1867.

For Sale.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

HAVE RECEIVED SUPPLIES OF

PEARS' TRANSPARENT WASH BALLS.

PEARS' TRANSPARENT SOAP TABLETS.

PEARS' TRANSPARENT SHAVING STICKS.

PEARS' ASSORTED SOAPS for the Bath.

FARINA'S EAU DE COLOGNE.

HENDRIE'S CHOICEST PERFUMES.

DEVOE'S NONPAREIL KEROSINE OIL,

150° test and therefore perfectly safe.

Hongkong, May 1, 1882.

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To Let.

Intimations.

REMOVAL.

THE FRONT PORTION of PREMISES formerly occupied by the late E. CHASTEL & Co., 15, QUEEN'S ROAD. Suitable for either One or Two OFFICES or a STORE.

Apply to

HONGKONG DISPENSARY.

Hongkong, May 1, 1882.

TO LET.

(WITH IMMEDIATE POSSESSION.)

THE HOUSE known as "PARSON VILLA," ROBINSON ROAD.

For Particulars, apply to

G. R. LAMMERT,

Pedder's Wharf.

Hongkong, May 1, 1882.

TO LET.

Entertainment.

THEATRE ROYAL,
CITY HALL, HONGKONG.ITALIAN OPERA COMPANY.
SIGNOR HOFLICH.
Begs to inform the Public of Hongkong, that
THERE WILL BE
AN EXTRA PERFORMANCE,
THIS EVENING,
2nd May, 1882.FOR THE BENEFIT OF
SIGNOR ANTONIETTA SILINI,
PRIMA CONTRALTO ASSOLUTA,
Who will be produced by general desire
DONIZETTI'S GRAND OPERA
"LA FAVORITA."Dramatic Personae:
Alfonso XI, King of Castile. *Siegmar G. Cioce.*
Leonor de Guzman. *Sigura A. Silini.*
Fernando. *Sigura V. Vassalli.*
Balduccare (Superior of the Convent of San Giacomo). *Sigura Corti.*
Don Gaspare. *Sigura Brunetti.*
Ines (Confidante to Leonora). *Sigura Bertoldi.*BETWEEN THE ACTS
SIGNOR A. SILINI,
kindly requested by
SIGNOR VANEZETTI AND CIOCCHI
will Sing THE GRAND TURCOETTO FROM
VENEZIA'S FAMOUS OPERA
"I LOMBARDI."The Subscription List is now open at
Messrs KELLY & WALSH.
Hongkong, May 2, 1882.THEATRE ROYAL,
CITY HALL.UNDER THE PATRONAGE OF H. E. THE
ADMINISTRATOR.ITALIAN OPERA COMPANY.
SIXTH PERFORMANCE
SECOND SUBSCRIPTION SERIESWill be given on
SATURDAY EVENING,
the 6th Instant.When will be produced
"POLIUTO,"
GRAND OPERA BY DONIZETTI.Prices of Admission:
Dress Circle, \$3.
Stalls, \$2.
Pits, \$1.

Tickets to be obtained at Messrs KELLY & WALSH, and at the Doors.

Doors open at 8.30 p.m.; Performance to commence at 9 p.m., sharp.

Ladies unaccompanied by Gentlemen
cannot be admitted.A. HOFLICH.
Hongkong, May 1, 1882.

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INSURANCES.

THE LONDON ASSURANCE.
INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER OF
His Majesty King George The First.

A. D. 1720.

THE Undersigned having been appointed
Agents for the above Corporation are
prepared to grant Insurances as follows:

Marine Department.

Policies at current rates, payable either
here, in London or at the principal Ports
of India, China and Australia.

Fire Department.

Policies issued for long or short periods at
current rates.

Life Department.

Policies issued for sums not exceeding
£5,000 at reduced rates.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

Hongkong, July 26, 1872.

THE SOUTH BRITISH FIRE AND
MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY
OF NEW ZEALAND.

CAPITAL £1,000,000 (One Million Sterling).

Unlimited Liability of Shareholders.

THE Undersigned having been appointed
Agents for the above Company are
prepared to accept FIRE and MARINE
RISKS at Current Rates, allowing usual
Discounts.

GEO. R. STEVENS & Co.

Hongkong, July 1, 1881.

THE CITY OF LONDON FIRE IN-
SURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

CAPITAL, £2,000,000. | PAID-UP, £200,000.

PAID-UP RESERVE FUND, £50,000.

THE Undersigned having been appointed
Agents for the above Company are
prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against
FIRE at Current Rates.

GEO. R. STEVENS & Co.

Hongkong, January 1, 1882.

To-day's Advertisements.

FOR MANILA.
The Steamship
"Emeralda,"Captain TALBOT, will be
despatched for the above
Port on THURSDAY, the 4th Instant, at
4 p.m.For Freight or Passage, apply to
RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, May 2, 1882.

FOR YOKOHAMA.
The Steamship
"Strathleven,"Capt. PEARSON, shortly
due, will have immediate
Despatch for the above Port.For Freight or Passage, apply to
RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, May 2, 1882.

For MACLEWAN, FRICKEL & Co.'s Ad-
vertisement see 1st column 4th page.

To-day's Advertisements.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW.

Owing to the inclemency
of the weather the
Steamship

"Tulies,"

Captain Pocock, will be despatched for the
above Ports on THURSDAY, the 4th Inst., at
Noon, instead of as previously advertised.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

Hongkong, May 2, 1882.

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FOR FOOCHOW (DIRECT).

The Steamship
"Clarendon,"

Captain K. J. GASSON,

will be despatched for the
above Port on THURSDAY, the 4th May, at
Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

Hongkong, May 2, 1882.

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FOR SYDNEY & MELBOURNE.

(Taking Cargo and Passengers for ADE-

LAIDE, all NEW ZEALAND,

TASMANIAN, FIJI and

NEW CALEDONIAN PORTS.)

The Steamship
"Vulcan,"

Captain H. H. ZELLERMAN,

will be despatched as
above to TAKAO, on THURSDAY, the 4th Instant, at 4 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

GEO. R. STEVENS & Co.

Hongkong, May 2, 1882.

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NOTICE.

THE INTEREST and RESPONSIBILITY of

Mr. WOO TAI in the Firm of "SHANG

TAI WOO," dealer in Cotton and Opium,

No. 30, Wing Lok Street, has ceased from

the 1st of May, 1882, as he has withdrawn

his Principal and Interest therefrom.

We, the Undersigned, have, THIS DAY,

commenced, BUSINESS under the same

Style and Firm of "SHANG TAI WOO."

The Business of the said Firm will be future

Carried on Solely in the Interest of the Undersigned.

SHANG TAI WOO,
Cotton and Opium Dealers.

Hongkong, May 2, 1882.

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COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES
MARITIMES.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

CONSIGNEES of the following Cargo

are requested to send in their Bills of

Lading to the Undersigned for counter-

signature, and take immediate delivery.

The Goods have been landed and stored at

their risk and expense.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

EX-PORTER.

R. M., No. 1, 1 case Wine, Order, from
Marcelli.

EX-PORTER.

S. H. S. (in dia.), No. 106—1 case Perfum-
ery, Dr. G. M. McStiles.

K. C., 16 boxes Twill, Order, from Madras.

G. de CHAMPEAUX,
Agent.

Hongkong, May 2, 1882.

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Occidental & Oriental Steam-
Ship Company.TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS
TO JAPAN, THE UNITED
STATES, MEXICO, CENTRAL AND
SOUTH AMERICA, AND EUROPE,
VIATHE OVERLAND RAILWAYS,
AND
ATLANTIC & OTHER CONNECTING
STEAMERS.Per S. S. "Coptic" will be despatched
to San Francisco via Yokohama, on
TUESDAY, the 9th May, 1882, at
3 p.m.Connection being made at Yokohama,
with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan
Ports.

All Parcel Packages should be marked to

address in full, and same will be received at
the Company's Office, until 5 p.m. the
day previous to sailing.A REBATE of 25 % made on all
RETURN PASSENGER CHARGES ISSUED.

Consular Invoices to accompany Over-

land, Mexican, Central and South American
Cargo, should be sent to the Company's
Offices addressed to the Collector of Cus-

toms, San Francisco.

For further information as to Freight
or Passage, apply to the Agency of the
Company, No. 604, Queen's Road Central.CHAS. H. NEWELL, Jr.,
Agent.

Hongkong, May 2, 1882.

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Not Responsible for Debts.

Neither the Captain, the Agents, nor

Owners will be Responsible for
any Debt contracted by the Officers or

Crew of the following Vessels, during

their stay in Hongkong Harbour—

AGATE, American barque, Captain Chas.

W. Brown—Captain.

BYLDA, German barque, Captain T. A.

Andersen—Captain.

CHARLES STEWART, American barque,

Capt. H. R. Powers—Master.

GLENURY, British 3-m. schooner, Capt.

D. Thomson—Captain.

J. A. BORLAND, American barque, Capt.

J. H. K. Kort—Douglas Larpak & Co.

KILMARNOCK, British steamer, Captain

H. O'Neill—Gibb, Livingston & Co.

LANGSHAW, British steamer, Captain W.

R. Hunter—Siemens & Co.

MARTHA, British barque, Capt. McPherson—Kozano & Co.

ONION, Austro-Hungarian steamer, Capt.

G. Matavich—Molchers & Co.

ROSE TERRACE, British ship, Capt. J. S.

Hutchinson—P. & O. S. N. Co.

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SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

May 1, Hainan, British steamer, 278,

J. Moon, Haiphong April 28, and Hol-

low 30, General—AVONG & SHING LOONG.

May 1, Chinkiang, British steamer, 798,

S. M. Orr, Shanghai April 28, General—

SIEMSEN & Co.

May 2, Bonita, British 3-m. schooner,

341, H. Stehr, Singapore Feb. 1, Timber—

EDWARD SCHILLER & Co.

May 2, Djemah, French steamer, 2345,

de Bousill-Baron, Shanghai April 29, Mail

and General—MESSAGERIES MAR-

TIME.

May 2, Hongkong, British steamer, from

Canton.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, May 2, 1882.

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For MACLEWAN, FRICKEL & Co.'s Ad-

RETURN of Visitors to the City Hall Museum for the week ending April 30th.	
Monday,	427
Tuesday,	18
Wednesday,	495
Thursday,	43
Friday,	32
Saturday,	43
Sunday,	548
Total,	223
Grand total, 3,248.	3,028

HEDON & CO.'s Weekly Shipping Report.

Pagoda Anchorage, 22nd April.—

Arrivals During the Week.—April 15, Almati, from Shanghai; Kang Chi, from Shanghai; 19, Foochow, from Hongkong; 20, Apchin, from Shanghai.

Departures During the Week.—April 15, Kwang Tung, for Hongkong; 15, Siberian, for Tientsin; 15, Chateaubriand, for New-chang; 20, Fidien, for Hongkong; 20, Kwang Chi, for Shanghai.

Shipping in Port.—Batavin, Ching-tah, Morris Louis, Roqua, Almati, Apchin.

SHANGHAI RACES.

We have been favoured with the results of the second day's racing. Fine weather prevailed.

SECOND DAY.

CHU-KA-ZA CUP, Picavon.	Montezuma
SHANGHAI DERBY, Montezuma	Lothair
LADIES' PUPRISE, Driving Cloud.	Wild Dash
RACE CLUB CUP, Driving Cloud.	Wild Dash
SHANGHAI STAKES, Wild Dash.	
One Round—Won in 2m. 34sec.*	
CONCORDIA CUP, Farnham.	
THATLIE CUP, Cavigator.	
SPRING CUP, Gurn Forward.	
ROANSTERS' CUP, Rialto.	

*Once round is just under 1 mile and a quarter, and the time of *Wild Dash* is therefore the fastest time by 3 seconds that has ever been run in China.

SUPREME COURT.

IN ORIGINAL JURISDICTION.

(Before the Hon. G. Phillips, Chief Justice.)

Tuesday, May 2.

FUNG FONG To a. U SUI NAM.

The Attorney General (the Hon. E. L. O'Malley), instructed by Messrs. Sharp, Toller, and Johnson, represented the plaintiff. The defendant did not appear.

This was a suit in which the return of a deposit of \$3,000 which had been paid as a bargain money on a contract for the sale and purchase of certain property, situated at No. 97, Jervois Street, and No. 64, Bonham Strand, was sought. The agreement was made on the 29th August, 1881, and the 27th September, 1881, fixed as the date for completion of the contract, the total purchase money being \$37,000. The plaintiff, the purchaser, paid the sum of \$1,000 on the date on which the contract was drawn out, and a further sum of \$2,000 a few days later. The defendant was called upon by the plaintiff on the day previous to that fixed for the completion of the bargain, and asked to complete the transaction, but no papers were produced until the 23rd of September. The papers produced, however, were not the proper title deed and referred to Marine Lot No. 35, which did not represent the area of the property purchased by a considerable extent. The plaintiff, then instructed Messrs. Sharp, Toller, and Johnson, who wrote to the defendant several times requesting him to produce the proper title deeds, but with no effect, and on 7th Oct. that firm, acting under the plaintiff's instructions, informed the defendant that the contract was considered to be rescinded. Action was taken to recover the money on the 11th November, and the sum of \$3,000 with the interest from the date of failure was soon claimed.

The Chief Justice said he could only conclude from the absence of the defendant that he was still unable to complete, and that this was of the essence of the contract; he therefore gave judgment for the amount claimed with costs.

Police Intelligence.

(Before H. G. Thorneycroft, Esq.)

Tuesday, May 2.

ALLEGED KIDNAPPING.

Ting Ahoi, cook, was charged by Hajee Mohamed-Sadeek, merchant, with unlawfully taking away from the possession of, and against the will of her, his guardian, an unmarried girl named Salaha, under the age of 14 years, on the 29th April.

Mr. Wotton, of Messrs. Breerton and Wotton, appeared for the prosecution.

The case was remanded, on that gentleman's application, until the 4th instant, to allow of the girl, who is at present at Canton, appearing.

LARCENY.

Liu Achan, coolie, was sentenced to one month's imprisonment with hard labour for stealing a pole, value 50 cents, the property of Liang, carpenter, on the 1st instant.

UNLAWFUL POSSESSION.

Chung Acheung, hawk, was convicted of being in the unlawful possession of two pieces of brass, value 75 cents, and sentenced to fourteen days' imprisonment with hard labour.

THE RESULT OF AN OLD QUARREL.

Tee Asam, barbier, accused Lam Awan, hawk, of having given him a black eye at Yau-mah-ii on Sunday last. The defendant alleged that the complainant was the aggressive party. The fighting had been the result of an old standing quarrel, and the Magistrate taking this fact into consideration, bound both parties over in a personal recognisance of \$10 to keep the peace towards each other for the next six weeks, at the end of which time, perhaps, their animosities may have died out.

CONVICTED OF ADDING IN YEE SHEET OF A SILVER WATCH.

Chun Akan, hawk, was recognised by Theodolino Neve, whose watch was stolen on the 22nd ultimo, as the man who was in company with Cheng Aman, who was sentenced to four months' imprisonment yesterday for taking part in the theft. P. C. Wong Aoi had been on the look-out for the hawk from the date of the theft, and yesterday evening came across him in Tai Ping Shan Street, when he confessed that the watch had been pawned in Canton and the money lost in gambling. The Magistrate ordered him to provide two sureties of \$50 each to be of good behaviour for six months, in default to be committed for that period. Two previous convictions of larceny were recorded against him.

KEEPING CHILDREN IN BROTHELS.

Ho Asam, mistress of licensed brothel, No. 54, No. 83, Caine Road, was fined in the sum of \$25, in default of payment three weeks' imprisonment with hard labour for allowing a girl of 12 years of age and a boy of 13 to remain in her brothel on the 29th ultimo. An inspector visited the house

and found the children hit under a table in the cook house adjoining the brothel.

Mung Ahoi, mistress of licensed brothel No. 67, at No. 61 East Street, was fined the same amount, with the same alternative, for allowing a girl of 12 years of age to remain in her brothel.

Ip Ahing, mistress of licensed brothel No. 102, at No. 128 Station Street, Yau Ma-ti, was found guilty of a similar offence, and was fined in the same sum.

ASIAHUA BY A HIGH CONSTABLE.

Ball Singh, F.C. 639, was fined \$5, in default of payment three weeks' imprisonment with hard labour, for having committed Cheung Ama, gardener, at Tai Tsu Tsui, on the 20th ultimo. The constable, along with a companion, had entered the garden and, assaulting the complainant, who, along with another gardener, was taken to the Yau Ma-ti Police Station, where they were discharged and told to summon the defendant. The defendant said he was

detained by the police, and was then sent to Mahuayuan, where he was accused of being a Mahomedan rebel. He was then sent to the Yau Ma-ti Police Station, where he was again accused of being a Mahomedan rebel. He was then sent to the Yau Ma-ti Police Station, where he was again accused of being a Mahomedan rebel.

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Shipping in Port.—Batavin, Ching-tah, Morris Louis, Roqua, Almati, Apchin.

For Sale.

Visitors' Column.

McEWEN, FRICKEL & CO.
WILL REMOVE ON 1ST MAY
to their
NEW AND EXTENSIVE
PREMISES,
No. 53, Queen's Road East
(OPPOSITE THE COMMISSIONERAT),

WHERE they have special facilities for
conducting their Town and Harbour
Business, and trust to merit a continuance
of Public Confidence and Support.

A FULL STOCK OF STORES,
WINES, &c.,
ALWAYS ON HAND—INCLUDING:

YORK HAMS.
CHRISTMAS CAKES.

TYRSNEAU'S DESSERT FRUITS.

ALMONDS AND RAISINS.

SMYRNA FIGS.

PICNIC TONGUES.

COCONUTINA.

VAN HOUTEN'S COCOA.

LIEBHOLD & EPP'S COCOA.

FRENCH PLUMS.

HUNTERLY & PALMER'S BISCUITS.

PATE DE FOIE GRAS.

MINCEMEAT.

CHOCOLATE—MENIER.

SAUSAGES.

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